




IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

App. No. : 09/807,403 Confirmation No. 9206
 Inventor : HUNT, Kenneth William
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 Group Art Unit : 3761
 Examiner : TRUONG, Linh T.
 Docket No. : VAC.705.US
 Customer No. : 30159
 Title: : NEGATIVE PRESSURE THERAPY USING WALL SUCTION

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/ MAILING 37 C.F.R. § 1.8	
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<u>20 February 2004</u> Date	 Nadeem G. Bridi

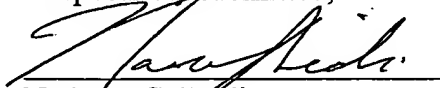
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

It is respectfully requested that an Extension of Time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136 to take the action required in the above referenced application, as reflected by the papers submitted.

<u> </u> First Month	\$110.00	(\$55.00)
<u> </u> Second Month	\$420.00	(\$210.00)
<u> X </u> Third Month	\$950.00	(\$475.00)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$930.00 to Deposit Account no. 50-0326, which is believed to be the correct amount. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to the same Deposit Account No. 50-0326. A copy of this Petition is included for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,


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